Besides, the Ministry has contributed Rs. 75.68 crores to the Non-lapsable central pool of resources, created by the Government during 1998-99 for implementation of projects for the development of NER including Assam.

Supply of DMS Milk

1557. SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of milk supplied to the Booth No. 291, near CGHS dispensary at Laxmibai Nagar, New Delhi;

(b) whether Government are aware that the supply is inadequate to meet the demand; and

(c) if so, the steps taken to increase the supply of milk alongwith the steps taken to streamline the distribution system which is presently resulting in long queues?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI NITISH KUMAR): (a) At present Delhi Milk Scheme is supplying 300 litres of milk at depot no. 291 situated near CGHS dispensary at Laxmibai Nagar.

(b) Milk is being supplied not only by Delhi Milk Scheme but by other organisations including Mother Dairy and private suppliers. No report has been received regarding the inadequacy of the availability of milk to meet the demand.

(c) The sale price of DMS toned milk is nearly half that of the same quality of milk supplied by Mother Dairy and other private suppliers. Hence there is always a heavy demand on DMS milk. The DMS is meeting approximately 12% of the total demand in Delhi and it is not possible to increase the supply level due to capacity and budgetary constrainsts.

Mother Dairy Milk Booth

1558. SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that a large number of Central Government employees are residing at Sector-17, Vasundhara, Ghaziabad, U.P. and have been facing acute shortage of milk because there is no Mother Dairy milk booth at this area;

(b) whether Government have any proposal to open more Mother Dairy milk/vegetable booths in that area to meet the requirement of the employees;

(c) if so, the details of booths functioning at present in that area particularly Sector-17, Vasundhara, U.P.; and

(d) whether Government have any plan to open milk booth on priority basis and by when and if not reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI NITISH KUMAR): (a) and (b) The Central Government does not maintain any statistics of the Central Government employees residing in any part of the country. The Mother Dairy partially meet the demand of the milk in Delhi and the adjoining cities. No booths of Mothe Dairy/ Fruit & Vegetable Project are exclusively opened for Government employees alone. These booths are opened for general public.

(c) and (b) The Mother Dairy nas already planned to open a milk booth in Sector 17 Vasundhara, Ghaziabad. The construction of the milk booth is in progress. There in no proposal under consideration for opening vegetable booth in Vasundhara by the Fruit & Vegetable Project.

Setting up of a Nuclear Power Station in Srikakulam, Andhra Pradesh

1559. DR. Y. LAKSHMI PRASAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a site has been selected in the Srikakulam District of Andhra Pradesh for setting up a Nuclear Power Station;

(b) if so, the details of the project; and

(c) by when it would be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Dumping of Nuclear waste by BARC

1560. SHRI P. PRABHAKAR REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: